LOW PRICES CAUSED BY SHARP BEAR RAID

Cotton Market Alternately Weak and Strong With Erratic Fluctuations Expected When There Are So Heavier Trading and Sharper Fluctuations

Than for Some Time Past.

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in licensed warehouses at present is 120,000, against 125,000 last year, 120,000, against 125,000 carly in the week and 142,000 last year. It has throughout the world standing at 3,- been reported that 60,000 bales of this cotton taken on contracts from the bear clique of spot houses leading the bear movement in the markets the past the export movement was the greatmenth, will be shipped to Livengol for extended.

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months, and 30 for the new. They were the lowest prices for the week. The way the notices for deliveries on May contracts were promptly stopped influenced so much new buying that the market gradually rallied.

The Rally in Prices.

On Thursday there was a sharp drive against the sacrts which advanced May 38 points from Monday's lowest, July 38 points from Monday's lowest, July 26, August 29, and all the later months 29 peints. This brought May up to 11 64, July 11 64, August 11.42, October 11.97, needs be 11.98, and January 11.99, with prices closing Thursday right at about that level. Liverpool responded sharply to this advance early yesterday, but therfallure of trade buying here to follow the rise, and the continuance of good weather in the continuance of cood weather for the balance of the coop and another bear drive sent prices off during the afternoon 20 points from the highest for May, and 14 to 12 for the rest of the list.

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quoted at 11.06, and July 11.18, August 11.19, October 11.23, December 11.32, and January 11.27, against 15 to 15 1-4 cents for May, June and July two years ago, 14 5-8 for August, and 18 to 12 3-4 cents for the new crop options from September to next March deliveries.

The Local Spot Stuation.

The amount of cotton actually delivered on May contracts in this market so far this week has been 89,000 bales. This week's exports are 169,300 bales, against 58,000 last week and 98,000 last year. This week's exports are 169,300 bales, against 58,000 last week and 98,000 last year, with the world's spinners' takings estimated at 257,000 bales, against 301. 000 last year, thereby indicating a decrease in the world's visible supply of at this time last year. The total stock in Heensed warehouses at present is

COTTON PROMISES TO BE QUITE UNSETTLED

New Orleans, May 4.—The cotton cent, although there are less people market promises to be more or less than formerly who expect an increase unsettled this week. There are signs that certain powerful interests are bent on running to cover the short interest that has been built up during the recent long decline. Operations looking toward this purpose are likely to produce nervous and illogical fluctuations.

atlong. The question of acreage will also help to unsettle the situation. This question has been greatly complicated by recent private bureau guesses on the area planted and to be planted. Up to last week the majority of traders accepted it as a foregone conclusion that that the increase in acreage would be at least 5 per cent, but much smaller estimates have been put out by bureaus whose estimates have been put out by bureaus whose estimates generally receive earness consideration, with the result that the increase in acreage would be at least 5 per cent, but much smaller estimates have been put out by bureaus whose estimates generally receive earness consideration, with the result that the consideration are trying to cause a general covering to cause the short state of the sould be ascertained, it was ing definite could be ascertained, it was ing definite could be ascertained, it was ing definite could be ascertained, it was ing definite nest consideration, with the result that opinions are much at variance.

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prices for investment issues, first-class bonds will be gauged by the price of the new St. Paul 4½ per cents, municipal bonds will receive their standard from the success or failure of \$45, 600,000 City of New York issue to be offered May 20. It is hoped this sale will go well, but so far no particular enthusiasm is manifest. While rall-road bonds are more attractive than shares in that they have declined more sharply, good stocks offer an attractive field to the investors whose money is in the saving banks or on special is in the saving banks or on special deposit. For instance, Atchison preferred pays 5½, Baltimore and Ohio preferred 5. Great Northern preferred 5½, St. Paul preferred 5½ per cent. This stock is practicularly attractive. From a recent issue of banks the a recent issue of bonds, the company is in funds and in a position to bene-fit largely from the western extension recently completed. Pennsylvanta yields 514 per cent on the ruling price, and this stock has a record that has made it a prime favorite with con-servative investors who reek the maxi-mum return with the minimum of risk. Among the industrials, United States Steel preferred pays nearly 6 per cent, and Liggett & Myers pays a shade

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MUCH UNSETTLEMENT IN DOMESTIC WHEAT

Many Conflicting Influences—Sagging Tendency During Last Part of Week.

New York, May 4.—The market was alternately weak and strong throughout the past week, with heavier trading and sharper fluctuations and over a wider range than for some time past.

The lowest prices since early last October were reached on Monday, when a sharp bear raid was made against the market on the issuance of notices for nearly the entire stock of cotton of contract grade available for delivery at this port.

About the last of the scattered speculative long interest, especially in the old crop months, was shaken out on this movement. The May option sold as low as 11.22, July 11.25, August 11.31, against 10.81 for October and January, and 10.83 for December of the new last saturday's closing for the old crop months. These prices showed a decliver of the new and the past world's markets at the principal interior and seaboard receiving points in the South, against 10.81 for October and January, and 10.83 for December of the new last saturday's closing for the old crop months. These prices showed a decliver of the new and saturday at the point of the past world's markets at the principal interior and seaboard receiving points in the South, as part of the principal interior and seaboard receiving points in the South, and 10.83 for December of the new crop nonths. These prices showed a decline of 10 to 15 points from last Saturday's closing for the old crop and January, and 20.000 and 10.000 to bushed there are are so many conflicting in domestic wheat market and deliveries on July-August 11.35 and the extended operation, fiftuences with there to complete a heavy straded operation, fiftuences with there to complete a heavy straded spectual markets at little price here on the differences with the week, but errating these deepers of the beave are as all the week, but errating these deepers of the mere the principal operation, induced wheat markets are are on many conflicting time destrement in domestic wheat mark wards these reports ward these reports wards there are are in the week, but errating these scapping

stronger tendency, which was chiefly attributed to encouraging cables. European markets being slightly high-

reappear at the seaboard.

Therefore this seemingly enormous reduction had far less influence than might have been expected. Afterwards the rising tendency was checked by favorable weather and crop reports. It was clear and warm all over the West, and hence the crop was represented to be making satisfactory progress. With much higher temperature in the Northwest, spring wheat ress. With much higher tempera-ture in the Northwest, spring wheat seeding has progressed rapidly, and is almost finished, excepting in the north-ern part of North Dakota. Gratifying reports continue to arrive from the Southwest, and especially from Kan-sas, where the plant is said to be arrived. sas, where the plant is said to be uncommonly healthy, and the probable yield there is variously estimated at 120,000,000 to 129,000,000 bushels.

Cause of Late Decline.

There was a slow, sagging tendency in wheat during the last half of the week, but, taking into consideration the great abundance of depressing influences, it must be acknowledged that the decline was rather unimportant. In fact, the small break was a source of surprise and disappointment to sellers for the decline, who had antici-pated much greater weakness. For one thing, the weather West continued satisfactory, and hence the crop was said to be making progress, al-though some advices from the South-

Cable advices have been slightly discouraging, European markets being less buoyant, which was partly ascribed to the more peaceful outlook in Southeastern Europe. Consequently the demand for our wheat and flour subsided slightly, but this caused no surprise, because of the large quantities already bought for export, via Lakes or Gulf ports. Moreover, buying was hindered temporarily by the change in the rules as to payments. In other words, a rule has gone into effect which calls for payment on sight draft instead of on sixty days' draft.

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This, however, caused no special un-casiness, as it was believed that the change would soon be forgotten, espe-cially as our flour and wheat prices are cially as our flour and wheat prices are so low as compared with prices in other exporting countries. According to an English authority, importing countries will need to draw on North America for 80,000,000 bushels from the middle of April to the middle of July. If this huge quantity is actually needed, it doubtless won't make much difference what the terms of payment are. In fact, there are those who ques-tion the ability of North America to

furnish so much in so short a time.

Conservative merchants believe that
we may be able to contribute about
35,000,000 bushels. Therefore it is conso,000,000 bushels. Therefore it is contended that values are down to a reasonably low basis, irrespective of the bright outlook for the growing crops. Toward the close there was a slight rally, which was mainly attributed to speculative influences. In other words, it was supposed that there had been too much unanimity on the bear side, and that markets were oversold. Covariant was stimulated partly by rumors ering was stimulated partly by rumors ering was stimulated partly by rumors one. of a less peaceful outlook in South-eastern Europe, and by reports that chinch bugs had become far more numerous in Kansas. Consequently co-plous rains in that State would be ex-ceedingly beneficial.

Irregularity in Corn.

There was continued irregularity and unsettlement in corn markets. Traders generally seemed to favor the bear side, and consequently they were surprised because prices did not weaken materially. At the outset there was temporarily a weak undertone, but a decline was checked by the exceedingly heavy decrease in the visible sup-ply. Subsequently large holders in the West were inclined to unload, and west, and notably Kansas, asserted that rain would be beneficial.

Nevertheless, virtually all the advices from that State were gratifying, while the Oklahoma State report was also satisfactory, the condition being placed at 92, against 91 April 1, 84 a year ago, and 74 at harvest, when the

CARNEGIE AWARD FOR HEROIC ACT

Charles C. Davis, of Danville, Gets Silver Medal and \$2,000 in Cash.

SAVED FRIEND FROM DEATH

Convicts From Penitentiary Are Stranded in City-Boy Has Narrow Escape.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Danville, Va., May 4 .- Charles G. Davis, a North Carolinian by birth, but for the past seven months a resident of this city, is daily awaiting a silver medal and \$2,000 from the Carnegie Commission, which will be given him for educational purposes, for saving the life of a man named Garman in Charlotte, N. C., two years ago. Davis, who is a youth of nineteen years, was engaged with Garman digging a well on the grounds of a private residence in the North Carolina city. They were using dynamite to deepen the well, and had just blasted a charge when Gar-man entered the bucket and descended in order to clear out the debris caused by the explosion. About ten feet from the bottom Garman was overcome by poisonous gases, and Davis, at the mouth of the well, realizing that some-thing was amiss, slid down the rope, secured the unconscious form of his friend to the bucket and again-clin up towards the top of the well. Half way up his strength gave out and he was pulled up by others and found to be unconscious. Both men, after receiving medical treatment, revived. Nothing was thought of the incident for nearly a year, when eye-witnesses to the courageous act persuaded Davis's father to communicate with the Car-

Davis, who is employed by a local

quite a good deal of damage here, especially to the contractors who were doing painting work. In many in-stances sides of houses freshly painted, and which soon became "freckled," had to be repainted. An enterprising citizen, anxious to know more about the gnat, sent specimens to the Bureau of Entomology at Washington, and several days later received a reply stating that the insect was the Lachnus Salicicola, of the Willow Aphides genus, a small fly originating from trees and shrubs. The recent spell of dry, warm weather is said to have caused their disappearance.

The Civic League held its monthly meeting on Thursday and the hold

meeting on Thursday, and the body listened to an address given by Dr. C. C. Hudson, Danville's health officer. It was largely through the agitation of the Civic League that the new officer was obtained, and he outlined his plans for the Improving of health conditions in the city. He promises to say was

ome of train for the county seat.

The closing up of the saloons here on Wednesday night was not attend by any undue disorders. Although the streets were thronged with people who were out to "see the fun," and who expected to see al lively time, it was a very tame affair, and but few were arrested for insobrlety. On Saturday night at midnight only four arrested for insobrlety. On Satureday night at midnight only four arrested for insobrlety. On Satureday night between the evening, and not one of the offenders was charged with being drunk. Generally on Saturday night between fifteen and twenty are caged, and the arrested for the saloons were raided by the officers, and five offenders were siven a hearing in the services of Hon. In the service of the saloons were raided by the officers, and five offenders were siven a hearing in the services of Hon. In the service of the saloons were raided by the officers, and five offenders were siven a hearing in the services.

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Penn's automobile, which was being driven by a negro chauffeur. When the accident appeared inevitable the driver threw his breaks, and his machine was stationary when the boy crashed into the fender. The little boy was stunned and carried in an automobile to his home, where an examination showed a few superfield by a cold ring and some condition financially to do so. The national debt there is enormous amination showed a few super cuts. His machine was wrecked.

CULVER ACADEMY

ent, Colonel Gignilliatt, General Nich-ols made three addresses. On Sunday morning he spoke to the corps of cadets tor an hour; Saturday evening he made an address at a banquet, and Monday morning he made a talk to the faculty. Monday morning academic duties were suspended and regimental parade and review were held, General Nichols reviewing the battalion with Colonel Gignilliatt. This was followed by a cavalry exhibition in the riding school.

Mrs. Harkness and family are the guests of General and Mrs. Nichols at headquarters.

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GIVE ENTIRE TIME TO SCHOOL WORK

Suffolk and Nansemond School Boards Recommend Appointment of Superintnedent.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Suffolk, Va., May 4 .- At a joint meeting of the members of the Suffolk City and Nansemond County School Boards, held here yesterday afternoon, mesolutions were passed recommending the appointment in Suffolk and Nansemond County of a superintendent who shall give his entire time to the school work. A second resolution from the county board approved the separation of city and county into separate school dis-

Davis, who is employed by a local dry goods firm, daily expects the medal, and has signified his intention of entering one of the North State universities. The \$2,000 will not be paid to him in an outright payment, but by instalments.

The plague of gnats which intested Danville for nearly a week has gone. The small files disappeared nearly as mysteriously as they arrived. Although extremely small in size, they caused quite a good deal of damage here, especially to the contractors who were doing painting work. In many in-

didate, Lee Britt, present superintendent, will not be a candidate, if that carries with it the devoting of the man's entire time to school work. John K. Hutton, who is also a candidate, takes the same position as Mr. Britt.

The decision of the Attorney-General that a superintendent must be a resident of his district hampered and complicated the situation. complicated the situation.

SPECIAL ASCENSION DAY SERVICES AT CULPEPER

ights From Many Places Take Part in Exercises-Arrangements for Memorial Day. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Culpeper, Va., May 4.-Special Ascenmandery, No. 25, of Knights Templar were held in the Culpeper Baptist

evening of his departure with a valuable gold ring, symbolic of the fraterity. Postmaster L. L. Whitestone, who presented the gift in behalf of the lodge, made an eloquent speech.

Definite arrangements have been made for the dedication of Walker's

Methodist Chapel at the morning service on the second Sunday in June. This little church has become widely known through its misfortunes, having been twice struck by lightning and burned down, and much interest is manifested in the dedication, not only by the people of this and the adjoining county, but by Methodists in general throughout the State. A beautiful and appropriate memorial window has been placed in the church in memory of the late Colonel James W. Walker, the grandfather of Mrs. R. Lee Taliaferro. Colonel Walker gave the ground for the cemetery and donated the site for the first church, which was erected in

the year 1869. Rev. Stockton Cole preached his farevell sermon to a crowded church in the Remington Baptist Church last Sunday, and is preaching for the last time at New-Salem, near Culpeper, to-day, having accepted the call tendered him to the pastorate of the Baptist Church in Charles Town, W. Va., and expecting to leave for his new field this week.

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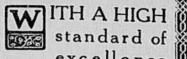
His horse becoming frightened at an automobile in Remington, Mr. Kendric, a war veteran, aged eighty-four, was thrown and hurt so hadly that he died within the hour. He had been living with his daughter, Mrs. George Groves, in Execution in Fauquier.

headquarters.

Mrs. J. C. Wise, wife of the commandant, will leave on Wednesday, May 7, for Europe. After spending some time in France she will go to Munich, Germany, to hear the Wagner festival.

Ex-King to Wed in August. [Special Cable to The Times-Dispatch.]

Berlin, May 4.—The wedding of ex-King Manuel of Portugal to the Princess Leopold Hohenzollern will take place in August.



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AGITATES EUROPE

Nations Discussing Probability of Clash Between United States and Japan.

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"The United States is at peace with "The United States is at peace with the world. Not a single treaty has ever been broken by her, for the Amer-ican policy is for peace, and though questions arise from time to time which seem threatening, we always seem able to find a happy solution.

"The conditions in Europe are un-"The conditions in Europe are un-pleasant, and there is every indication that they will become worse before any improvement is made. There is little doubt but that the situation here is one which will require great di-plomacy to settle amicably. Unless something bordering on a miracle hap-pens, there is likely to be a great al-teration in the map of Europe within the next six months."

HOME SUDDENLY IS QUIET.

Popular Young Clinch Valley Girl Plays
Cruel Joke on Mother.

Clinch Valley, Va., May 4.—One of our most popular young women played a cruel joke on her mother, and this is how it happened. She accidentally found a love letter that her father had written to her mother in their halcyon days of courtship. She read the letter to her mother, substituting her own name and that of her lover. The mother raved with anger and stamped her foot in disgust, forbidding her daughter to have anything to do with a man who could write such nonsensical stuff to a girl. The girl then gave the letter to her mother to read, and the home suddenly became so quiet that she could hear the snowflakes falling in the back yard.

the Shenandoah River on April 15, was above 6 per cent, with a good margin of safety in earnings.

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Short News Stories From All Over Virginia

FINE NEW HOME FOR S. A. L.

tumored That Modern Office Building Perfecting Plans for Taking Church Will Be Erected in Portsmouth. Portsmouth, Va., May 4 .- While noth-

the new building might be fifteen stories high.

When asked concerning the rumor, John Howard Hall, chairman of a special committee appointed by the Council and municipal organizations to work for the holding of the roads offices in Portsmouth, said that his committee knew nothing concerning the rumor, and Mr. Hall further stated that Mr. Harahan has not yet notified the body that he is ready to confer with it further on the matter, which is regarded as being of vital importance to Portsmouth.

Crashes Likely to Come Among Bears, Who Fail to Get Out in Time—Bad News Probably Would Bring Rally Instead of Drop.

By Broadan wall.

New York, May 4.—And now the trainmen ask for an increase in wase and why not? The engineers demands were followed by those of the freenwill be severage for the crew? Have not the States increased in ask of the crew? Have not the States increased in ask of the crew? Have not the States increased in th

Fisheries, points to the need of laws such as that in force in North Carolina, There only two-thirds of a stream may be covered with nets. The remaining one-third is left to enable the fish to get up the rivers.

MAY DAY AT NORMAL SCHOOL. May Pole Dance Executed by Well Trained Students at Harrisonburg. BOY IS RECOVERED

BOY IS RECOVERED

Harrisonburg, Va., May 4.—The May Day exercises were conducted at 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon by the graduating class of the Harrisonburg State Normal School. The class and students, carrying garlands of green leaves, marched from Dormitory No. 1 to the May pole, a short distance north-cast of Science Hall, where the exercises have been conducted for several years. The students formed a circle around the pole, while the members of the graduating class gave the May pole dance, using green and white ribbons—the colors of the graduating class. The students sang appropriate May Day songs.

the shenandoan River on April 15, was found at 5:15 o'clock yesterday after hoon by Peter Secriat, fourteen-year-hoon by Peter Secriat, fourteen-year-hoon of Roscoe Secrist, while fishing below the dam near Shenandoah City. The body was lying on a rock, part of the body being under water. It was recognized as that of Rothgebb by the clothes, which were dry and showed that the body had been above water for some time. It was found about 200 yards from the seene of the class sone, they marched to the gymnasium and indulged in various about 200 yards from the seene of the class sone, they marched to the gymnasium and indulged in various about 200 yards from the seene of the class sone, they marched to the gymnasium and indulged in various about 200 yards from the seene of the class sone, they marched to the gymnasium and indulged in various about 200 yards from the seene of the secident.

The funeral services were conducted this morning in the United Brethren Cemetery by Rev. N. F. A. Cupp. Rothgebb's mother has been in a serious condition ever since the accident. He is survived by a sister—Mrs. Edith Wood—and two brothers—Jacob, and a small boy—all of Shenandoah City.

The body of Wesley Manning, the other victim, was found a week ago.

The colors of the graduating class.

The students sang appropriate May Day beck was crowed where "a man holds his life in his hands." For the past eighteen years his home has been where "a man holds halfe in his hands." For the past eighteen years his home has been in Montana. After meeting his brothers, none of whom he has been in Montana. After meeting his brothers, none of whom he has been where "a man holds halfe in his hands." For the past eighteen years which shows under the class son, and a small solve had been above as unanimously cheosen May queen. She was crowned that hands." For the past eighteen years his home has been in Montana. After meeting his brothers, none of whom he has hads." For the past eighteen very meeting his brothers, none of when his home has been in Mon

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED.

Salem, Va., May 4 .- A meeting of the Portsmouth, va., and ing definite could be ascertained, it was rumored about the offices of the Seaboard Air Line Railway that President Harahan of the system, was seriously considering the advisability of, and possibly had about decided to recommend to the directorate of the road, the rection of a fine modern office builded to rection of a fine modern office builded to rection of a fine modern office and the plan is approved, census of Salem was held on Tuesday burning the pastors of the different churches at a meeting to be held in the chapter of the Presbyterian Church Monday evening. If the plan is approved, census of Salem was held on Tuesday were stranded in Danville on Saturday, arriving on the morning Richmond train and missing their connection. The negroes were locked up in the city fail during their stay here, but objected to their quarters, saying that the prison was unclean. They were finally pacified, and left on the afternoon train for the county seat.

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vening. If the plan is approved, cenus-takers will be called for from each thurch and the work will be underaken at an early date. The plan adopted provides for the completion of the whole work within three hours. To do this, about eighty volunteers will be required, and the town will be divided into sections small enough for two census-takers working together to cover within three hours.

Elank cards will be provided, on which the workers will take a complete record of each member of each family, giving name, age of all under twenty-one, church preference, whether member of any church, whether or not a Sunday school attendant. An attractive invitation will be left in each home inviting the members to unite heartily with the church of their preference. All persons who will be visited are urged to be ready to give to the workers the desired information as quickly as possible, so as to facilitate their work.

ROANOKE GIRLS HONORED.

Appointed Sponsors and Mnids to Grand
Camp of Confederate Veterans.
Roanoke, Va., May 4.—Among the recently made appointments of sponsors and maids to the Grand Camp of Confederate Veterans are quite a number from Virginia, including three of Roanoke's leading society girls. The Grand Camp will meet in Chattanooga, Tenn., the last week in May, and many brilliant social events have been planned in honor of the visitors.

Appointments of interest here include:
Sponsor-in-chief of the federal Sponsor-in-chief of the federation, Miss Margaret Read Peale, Harrison-

Sponsor-in-chief for the Virginia Division, Miss Edmonia Gray, Roanoke, Maids of honor—Miss Elizabeth Nelson Hamilin, Danville; Miss Rubinette Lee, Irvington; Miss Dorothy Harrison, Petersburg; Miss Florence Stuart, Norfolk; matron of honor, Mrs. John W. Boswell, Danville, Sponsor-in-chief for the Army of Northern Virginia, Miss Grace Lee, Irvington; maids of honor, Miss Elizabeth Hairston, Roanoke; Miss Rothrock, South Carolina.

Sponsor for the Third Brigade, Virginia Division, Miss Jeanie Cocke, Roanoke.

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